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### Interview Summary

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Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_.

Claim(s) discussed: none.

Identification of prior art discussed: none.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant received office action without a copy of the signed IDS forms from September 29, 2006 and November 15, 2007. Examiner noted that the IDS were signed but were not scanned or submitted with office action. Examiner and Mr. Makuch agreed that the signed copies of the IDS forms will be attached in response to the next office action.

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